We express our greatest indignation against the incompetence and hypocrisy of the Obama administration, which undermines denuclearization of the Korean peninsula.

It is the incompetence of the Obama administration that is the greatest obstacle to denuclearization of the Korean peninsula.

The Obama administration's policy regarding North Korea is the so-called "strategic patience." It means that the United States will wait until North Korea abandons its nuclear capacity and insist that China persuade North Korea to give up its nuclear weapons. But this policy will only lead North Korea to strengthen its nuclear capacity.

It is the hypocrisy of the Obama administration that stands in the way of denuclearization of the Korean peninsula.

The Obama administration's so-called pivot to Asia and the construction of a missile defense system in Northeast Asia as well as the US-ROK-Japan alliance contain China and threaten preemptive strike against North Korea. As a result they create a structure of Cold War-like confrontation in Northeast Asia. To claim that it will achieve denuclearization of the Korean peninsula in such confrontation is pure hypocrisy.

Although North Korea declared its status as a nuclear weapons state in its constitution in April 2012, it has made clear multiple times since then its resolve for denuclearization of the Korean peninsula. But the United States has consistently ignored this.

On January 9, 2015, North Korea proposed that the United States "temporarily suspend joint military exercises in South Korea and its vicinity" in exchange for a temporary suspension of its nuclear tests. The United States turned down this proposal.
How can we expect a commitment to denuclearization of the Korean peninsula from the Obama administration when it turns down a proposal for the temporary suspension of nuclear tests even amidst widespread concerns about North Korea's impending 4th nuclear test?

The Obama administration seems interested only in securing North Korea's surrender through force and not in achieving denuclearization through dialogue. Why?

Isn't it true that the Obama administration has greater interest in expanding and reproducing confrontation and fanning an arms race in order to increase its arms exports to Northeast Asia? Isn't its aim to maintain its nuclear hegemony in Northeast Asia? Isn't its ulterior motive to use the structure of confrontation as justification for expanding NATO to the Asia Pacific region and merging it with the U.S.- Japan-Australia-South Korea alliance? And by doing so, isn't its aim to create a global military alliance and incapacitate the UN, thereby expanding its global military hegemony?

If not, then the United States should abandon its hypocrisy regarding denuclearization of the Korean peninsula and reverse course in its policy toward North Korea.

The days in which the United States has meddled with Northeast Asia - those days are past.

It should conclude a Peace Treaty on the Korean peninsula and move forward on establishing a peace regime. And as part of that process, denuclearization of the Korean peninsula can happen simultaneously.

There is no other path that is more meaningful for the realization of peace in the Asia Pacific region.

We urge all of you to also speak out against the Incompetence and Hypocrisy of the Obama Administration.